## YAWNING CHASMS IN THE STREETS

Waters of the Seine Have Invaded the Entire Labyrinth of Underground.

## PARIS HOLDS ITS BREATH IN TERROR

Superstitious People Talk of the Destruction of the City as Result of Appearance of Halley's Comet-Half the City is in Darkness-Scarlet Fever Among Refugees-The Louvre in Imminent Danger.

THE LOUVRE THREATENED.

Worse Than Ever.

BUDDING OF ANOTHER

INTERNATIONAL ROMANCE

Marguerite Shonts.

TO SHEAR SPEAKER CANNON

Resolution Introduced in House by In

surgent Republican Fowler.

Will of Mrs. Frances Charlotte Adams

Paris, Jan. 26 .- The snowstorm has I three feet. Moreover, it is feared that three feet. Moreover, it is feared that the high tide which is setting in, becaused and the weather is moderating, but the Seine is still rising, and Paris like a doomed city is holding its breath in terror. Haif the city is in distrinces. In the flood, galloping orderlies are bearing instructions which can no longer be sent by telephone. The army of police framen and sal. the army of police, firemen and soldiers give the appearance of a city

Every Minute the Danger Grows.

Every minute brings graver dangers New areas are being inundated, quays are collapsing, yawning chasms appear in the streets. The water of the parapet of the quay at the Seine has invaded the entire labyrinth to inundate the sculpture gallery where are kept the Venus of Milo and the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where are kept the Venus of Milo and the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where are kept the Venus of Milo and the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where are kept the Venus of Milo and the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where are kept the Venus of Milo and the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where where the second the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where where where where we want to be a street another billion dollar company was frequently mentioned. But the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where we want to be a street another billion dollar company was frequently mentioned. But the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where we want to be a street another billion dollar company was frequently mentioned. But the more conservative believed final capitalization would be closer to \$500,000, hunger where we want to be a street another billion dollar company was frequently mentioned.

Superstitious Dread Halley's Comet. Among the superstitious there is talk of the destruction of Paris as a result of appearance of Halley's comet, but it is not unusual the world over to associate a visitation of this kind with the movements of heavenly bodies.

Prospects Grave. Paris, Jan. 26.—An official bulletin tonight stated that the water at Pont Royal will reach the thirty-foot mark as commerced morning. The prospect for the immediate future is grave, for it as estimated that the Seine tonight and tomorrow will rise from two to

PANAMA LIBEL CASE QUASHED IN U. S. COURT. Judge Hough Ruled That the Court French Count Wants to Marry Miss

Had No Jurisdiction.

press. "The curious and ingenious mind." he said, "that brought to life for the first time in \$5 years the law under which this prosecution was begun, has retired to private life, but has left this legacy behind it."

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under which this prosecution was begun, has retired to private life, but has left this legacy behind it."

Among lawyers the opinion was general that today's callapse of the government's case marks an end of further prosecution. "If any future action is to be taken," said Henry A. Wise, United States." In this connection it rests with the attorney general of the United States." If thus connection it was pointed out that the suit is an inheritance and did not originate with Was heritance and did not originate with the present attorney general. A simi-lar sult brought in Indianapolis las

FOR NEW STATE, SISKIYOU. Agitation in Northern California and

to the Government.

Seattle, Wash, Jan. 26.—United States District Court Judge Cornelius H. Handford decided today that title to 1.824 acres of valuable coal lands in Lewis county claimed by P. C. Richardson and several members of the R. Wilson family, all of Seattle, should revert to the government. This is land referred to by L. R. Glavis in his testimony before the Ballinger-Pinchot commission this afternoon.

Recsevelt Asked to Talk on "Lawbreakers."

St. Louis, Jan. 26.—An invitation.

New York, Jan. 26.—The sub-committee of the stock exchange made a report today to the governing committee on the failure of J. M. Fiske & company, which went down with the collapse of the Hocking pool. Feb. 2 has been set as the day upon which action will be had on the report. The failure of Fiske & company last week followed that of Lathrop, Haskins & company, who were caught in the same collapse. The firm was a party to the pool in Columbus and Hocking Coal and Iron, but its share was not generally regarded as important.

In accordance with the policy of the

St. Louis Jan. 26 -An invitation will be sent to ex-President Roosevelt to open the national conference on charities and corrections in this city on May 19. He will be asked to speak

D. E. Shelton Drops Dead. Bridgeport, Jan. 26.—David E. Shel-ton, assistant clerk of the superior court of Fairfield county, dropped dead yesterday at his home on Golden Hill street, as he was preparing for his morning meal. Mr. Shelton was a brother of William P. Shelton, for many years clerk of the superior

Henry Woge's Injuries Proved Fatal. Providence, R. L. Jan. 26.—Henry Voge, 32 years old, who was assaulted by a manher of young men Monday evening in his bowling alley, and later taken to the Rhode Island hospital with a fractured hip, died at that in-cituation today from the shock to his

New York. Jan. 26.—Prof. Edward dewnward in the mud at the foot of a coal wharf here today. Miss Babcock, who was 63 years of age, had been a voluntary patient at the Buttler Inson. He had been ill for the pasi four days. Mrs. Raynolds and their caughter and son were at the had

Cabled Paragraphs.

Portsmouth, England, Jan. 26.—In well informed naval circles at is understood that the next British naval estimates will provide for four Dreadnoughts, two armored cruisers, eight small cruisers, twenty-four torpedo boat destroyers, ten submarines and 5,000 additional men.

Lahore, British India, Jan. 26.—It developed at the trial today of an allege Indian conspirator that the plans occupiracy against the British Indian government included the establishment of an independent kingdom with a king, an imperial council of five, house of princes and a house of commons, the latter having a membership of thirty. The seat of government was

Vienna, Jan. 26.-In connection with Vienna, Jan. 26,—In connection when the recent charges that the arsenal here has been under espionage, Die Zeit announces today that the mili-tary authorities have obtained conclu-sive evidence implicating Colone stye evidence implicating Colonel Martchenkow, the Russian military attache here, who left for St. Petersburg on Sunday last. The paper asserts that Austria demanded the recall of the officers.

WILL INFLUENCE THE COPPER MARKET OF THE WORLD Merger of Principal Copper Producers Into One Gigantic Corporation. Situation at One O'clock This Morning

New York, Jan. 26.-Prelimina New York, Jan. 26. Freminary steps were taken today to effect the long-looked-for merger of the principal copper producers of the country into one gigantic corporation. In Wall Paris, Jan. 27.—At 1 o'clock this long morning the water was rising rapidly and had reached to within a few inches one

destruction everywhere.

Epidemic Feared.

What new disaster will come to the water-logged city before the Seine begins to fall no one can predict. Already the damage is officially estimated at \$200,000,000,000, and every hour adds pullilons more. The catastrophe promises to exceed the limits of a national disaster and become international. The death roll also is growing at a frightful rate, and when the epidemic, which now appears inevitable, breaks out it will run into thousands. Already scariet fever has appeared among the refugees at Ivry.

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conda stock.

Following the merger of the Butte properties, which include the Amalkamated Copper company, Anaconda Copper company, Boston and Montana, Butte and Boston, Washoe, Trenton and other subsidiaries of the Amalgamated, and the North Butte and Butte Coalition, it is expected that new Anaconda with its increased capital of \$150,000,000 will merger with the Guggenheim, Haggin and other copper fore them.

Forty houses in the vicinity had to be evacuated, storekeepers therein abandoning everything. As the gas mains burst when the station collapsed darkness added to the terror of the papelle. people,
Reports of villages submerged and people absolutely without food are reaching Paris constantly. Saint Laurent is flooded and the people are without drinking water.

At Confians-Sur-Marne a score of houses have failen in and many peo-

HOLY GHOST AND US VESSEL

AGAIN SETS SAIL Leaves Boston Harbor and Sters

Straight for the Open Sea. Boston, Jan. 26.-Shrouded in same mystery with which she entered New York, Jan. 28.—The indictment brainst the Press Publishing company, publishers of the New York World, charging Joseph Pulitzer and others, with criminal libel against Theodore Roosevelt, President Taft and others, was quashed today in the United States district court. Judge Hough ruled that the statute upon which the indictment rested was not sufficient in authority, or, in other words, that the court had no jurisdiction.

Delancey Nicoll, counsel for the defendants, interpreted the decision as a signal victory for the freedom of the press. The curious and ingenious wind, he said "that brought to life the press of the curious and ingenious wind," he said "that brought to life the press with county to be the possible budding of another international romance is exciting inter Boston harbor two months ago,

yacht. No strangers have been allow-ed on board, and seldom has anyone

left the vessel.

New sails have ben set the past few days, the stays tautened and other preparations made which forecasted a voyage, and today the yacht left the harbor and made straight for the open sea. Whether the Coronest is now feir sea. Whether the Coronet is now fair-y on its way to Jerusalem or will re-urn to Portland with its passengers is OF MUCH OF HIS POWER the source of much conjecture.

Rhode Island Freed from One Embarrassing Position.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Representative Fowler of New Jersey, one of the foriginal "insurgent" republicans in the house, introduced a resolution today providing for a reorganization of the rules committee and the removal of Speaker Cannon from that committee. The resolution aims straight at the house organization and would shear the speaker of a great portion of the rower of his office, according to the statement of its author.

Speaker Cannon was shown a copy

In accordance with the policy of the exchange, however, all members of the stock exchange in any way identified with the pool will be given an opportunity to prove their innocence, failing which is is said that summary action of the Waldorf, were held in \$30,000 and the waldorf, were held in \$30,0 May and Bessie Held in \$30,000 Bail

bail each today for the grand jury.

other charitable bequests. The value of the estate was not given in the petition for probate.

Walked into the Seekonk River.

East Providence, R. I., Jan. 26.—The body of Miss Elizabeth C. Babcock, a resident of the fashionable East Side section at Providence, was found head

Very Fitting Thing to Do. who was 63 years of age, had been a voluntary patient at the Buttler Insans hospital, where she was being treated for nervousness. She disappeared after inneh yesterday and it is supposed she walked into the Seekonk river behind the hospital grounds.

New Haven, Jan. 26.—A statement was issued by Admiral Foote post. G. A. R., here tonight to the effect that they saw no impropriety in the erection of a statue to General Robert E. Burial was in a committal service behind the hospital grounds.

**Bandit Rushed** Call on Boston Upon a Banker To Cut Out Meat

NORWICH, CONN., THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1910

INTRUDER HELD UNTIL THE PO- ULTIMATUM GIVEN THE WHOLE LICE ARRIVED.

DEMANDED \$500

Reutschlin of Philadelphia, Who is Powerfully Built, Grappled With Would-Be Robber.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—Henry Reut-schlin, a well known wholesale grocer and president of the Textile National bank, had a desperate encounter with a man who demanded \$500 at the point of a pistol tonight in his home.

Your Money or Your Life. The man rang the bell of the bank-er's house, on West Lehigh avenue, and pushed past Miss Reutschlin, who opened the door. With a revolver in his hand he rushed at the banker, who, attracted by the noise, came to meet him.
"Five hundred dollars or your life!"
exclaimed the intruder.

Driven to Desperation by Hunger, Reutschlin, who is powerfully built, grappled with him and when he attempted to escape held him until the police arrived. At the police station he said he was Steven Brown of New York. He came here, he said, to take a street car job, but failing to secure work, was driven to desperation by hunger.

ON TRIAL IN U. S. COURT. Charged With Making, Printing and Having Counterfeit Money.

New York, Jan. 26 .- What is believ-New York, Jan. 26.—What is believed to be the most important prosecution of foreign criminals ever undertaken by the United States government began today when eight of the sixteen Italians arrested by secret service men were placed on trial here in the criminal branch of the United States circuit court: They are charged with making, printing and having in their possession counterfeit \$2 and \$5 bills.

The government expects to prove that The government expects to prove that several of the men were leaders in a conspiracy seats in many cities and even that plants for making counterfeit American notes were maintained in Sicily and Italy. Most notable among in Sicily and Italy. Most notable among the prisoners are Ignazio Lupo, familiarly known as "Lupo the Wolf," who is under an 18 year sentence in Italy for murder, and Giuseppi Morello, under a six year sentence in Italy for forgery. Both fled from Italy when about to be imprisoned, according to the records of the secret service, and both were arrested at the time of the famous "barrel murder mystery" in this city. They admitted membership in ous "barrel murder mystery" in this city. They admitted membership in the secret society which the barrel murder victim offended, but escaped punishment, although both have served terms in prison in this country. The case on trial was deemed of sufficient importance by the government authorities to send Assistant District Attorney Abel I. Smith here to conduct the prosecution.

**GOVERNOR AND STAFF** 

Mayor Lippitt Will Receive pany, Governor's Foot Guard.

Gov. Frank B. Weeks and members of his staff will arrive here for the Third company's annual ball at 4.40 Third company's annual ball at 4.40 o'clock this afternoon. The governor will be received by Mayor Lippitt at the station and they will at once go to the Wauregan house, where the governor and staff will be entertained.

At 7 o'clock the officers of the Second company, Governor's Foot Guard. of New Haven, will arrive, and Mayor Lippitt will also receive them, they likewise having secured quarters at the Wauregan.

Captain Kerrick of Fort Wright, ad-jutant of the New London artillery district, has informed the company of-

Mefford, Ore, Jan. 25.—Astitation for the creation of a proposed new state to be called Siskiyou, out of northern California and southern Oregon, has reached such a stage that a convention has been called to meet at Aligned slighting of this territory by the more populous districts of the classe of the cause of the desatisfaction culininating in this movement.

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Maj. Charles C. Hooks.

(Special to The Bulletin.) Washington, Jan. 26.—The funeral the late Charles C. Hooks of Will mantic, a messenger of the Unite States senate, was held from St. James P. E. church yesterday morning. It was attended by almost the entire Connecticut contingent in Washington Filed.

New York Jan. 26.—The will of Mrs. Frances Charlotte Adams, wife of Thatcher M. Adams, a prominent lawyer of this city, by which she is said to have left an estate of over \$5,000. 000, was filed today in the surrogate's bands in an effort to keep men from ney general of the United States, witnessed the will. Mrs. Adams left \$50. 000 to the Society for the Relief of Half Orphans and Destitute Children, among other charlitable bequests. The value of the estate was not given in the petition for probate.

Riot of Steel Plant Strikers.

Hammond, Ind., Jan. 26.—One woman was shot in the arm and several workmen were injured in a riot of strikers at the Standard Steel Car plant today. Several women appeared in the streets to support their husbands in an effort to keep men from entering the plant. According to the police the injured woman was shot by a strikebreaker.

Body Not Yet Identified.

Hartford, Jan. 26.—Up to a late hour tonight the body of the man who fell

The funeral of Frederick N. Fox was held at 2.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the parlors of Church & Allen, at which there was a large attendance of relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. There were choice floral remem-brances, The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. M. S. Kaufman, pastor of the Trinity M. E. Church. The bear-ers were C. E. Gates, C. E. Beebe, John Donn and George Huntley, mem-bers of Niantic lodge of Odd Fellows. Burial was in Yantic cemetery, where a committal service was read by Rev. Dr. Kaufman. Lotta Faust, the musical comedy

SALE PRODUCERS.

FANEUIL HALL MASS MEETING

Fish Dealers Laying in Big Fares-1,000,000 Pounds Landed Yesterday.

Boston, Jan. 26.—"Since you tell us that the present high prices of the necessities of life are due to the inevitable law which governs supply and demand, we will say to you that we will attempt to secure relief by lessening the demand, and that we shall immediately make public our report, calling upon the citizens of Boston to abstain from the use of meat for two weeks."

Citizens' Mass Meeting. That was the ultimatum given the wholesale producers late today, at the conclusion of a conference between them and a committee appointed at a citizens' mass meeting in Faneuil hall, last Saturday night.

The effects of the anti-meat crusade are already heing felt helf a degree

are already being felt, half a dozen labor unions and many other organizations having pledged themselves during the past week to abstain from

Fish Dealers Reaping Harvest. Fish dealers are taking advantage of the situation to get in big fares and today over 1,000,000 pounds of fish were landed at T wharf, with many more vessels waiting outside to come

CLEVELAND GETS EVIDENCE Bearing on the Prevailing High Price as Basis for Legislation.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 26.—Prosecuting Attorney John A. Cline issued a call tonight to the gentral public for evidence bearing on the prevailing high prices of meat milk, eggs and butter. The grand jury early tomor-row will apply itself to the food ques-tion until the ground has been cov-

ered.

Mr. Cline announced that all material gathered after being considered with a view to possible indictments, with a view to possible indictments, will be turned over to the investigating committee of the Ohio general assembly to be used as a basis for legislation.

CONGRATULATES GERMANY

On Its Decision to Shut Out American

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AND STAFF

WILL ARRIVE AT 4.40.

The served to base of suftange union stored on the said, "a table despatch to the emperor of Germany, congratulating him on his decision to shut out our foul, putrid, canned and ulinspected beef. This beef has proved too bad for us, and our sympathies are with any other nation on which our wicked beef trust tries to unload it."

I aw in Connecticut. Here was a gir, the daughter of industrious parents who kept a boarding house in the neighboring town of Naugatuck, charged with killing by use of hoth pistol and knife, a saloonkeeper, Ikronislow Kulvinskas, in a most diabedical way. The man weighed 206 pounds, while the girl was scarcely half his decision to shut out our foul, putrid, canned and ulinspected beef. This beef her new favorite, jointly indicated, is accused of going with Sophie to witness her shooting of Kulvinskas, but Sophie's lawyers have elected to have her tried alone and the trend of the

Packers Asked to Abstain and Help Break the Trust. Mrs. Anita Comfort Brooks, president of the Gotham club, afterwards mounted the box, brave in sliks, feathers, furs and diamonds. "I have sent letters, she said, "to Mr. Cudahy, Mr. Armour, Mr. Morris and Mr. Swift, ad-

juring them to abstain from meat for thirty days and help break the Beef trust." Mrs. Brooks did not say what answers she had received.

The meeting was only moderately at-tended and brought out only those wo-

COUNTER-BOYCOTT Against Unions Who Refuse to Eat Meat.

ers in this vicinity have counter-boycott against labor unions that have refused to eat meat and they expect to make it state-wide. The farmers plan to quit using the products of the labor of boycotting unions for one year. In addition to this they purpose to advocate free trade. Organizers of the movement Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Boynton Given a trade. Organizers of the movement Surprise by Their Many Friends at aver that meat packers instigated the most hovent. meat boycott.

> AT WATERBURY. Wholesalers Reduce Prices but Retailers Remain Firm.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 26.—According to several wholesale and retail ing to several wholesale and retail dealers, the demand for beef has shown a decrease of 15 to 20 per cent. in Waterbury during the last week. As a result the wholesalers have made reductions of from one-half to two cents a pound on beef, lamb and pork. The retailers, however, have made no reductions. No attempt has been made

which were disentangled after rany years of litigation, are again before the courts. Today Charles K. Darling, clerk of the United States circuit court, petitioned Judge Putnam for one per cent, of the funds of the company deposited in a local bank by George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, receiver of the Bay State Gas company. The amount originally was \$218,000. Clerk Darling claims he has not been paid for handling funds of the old company. The petition was taken uncompany. The petition was taken un-

The Bay State Gas company of Del- Evansville, Ind., Journal-News Suffers aware was organized by J. Edward

Walls of Burned Building Fall on Adjoining House.

rooming house tonight at Central ave-nue and Fourth street. Five injured persons were removed from the debris of the rooming house after several hours' work and several other persons

Poorer Classes the Worst Sufferers. Poorer Classes the Worst Sufferers.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 26.—A statewide appeal for aid was sent out from
Port Deposit Md., today in behalf of
the sufferers from the flood which descended upon that place last Sunday.
Conditions there were described as
terrible. The worst sufferers are the
poorer classes, who lost their homes
and practically all their possessions.

damage to buildings or accidents of
any kind.

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 26.—The supreme
court handed down an opinion yesterday declaring constitutional the local
option law, which has been attacked
on almost every provision since its

Condensed Telegrams

A Democratic Ship Subsidy Bill was introduced in the house by Represtative Clark of Florida.

The Supreme Court of Indiana has reversed itself and now holds that the gravel road law is constitutional,

The Art Collection of the late Charles T. Yerkes of New York and Chicago, is to be sold at auction.

Prof. Winslow Upton of Brown unl versity calculates that the new com-et in the western heavens is making 120 miles a second, President Taft Issued a Statement

declaring that he is not contemplating a crusade against the Steel corporation and other combines. The Madriz Government of Nicara

gua has consented to leave enough la-bor from army service on the Ameri-can plantations to save the coffee crop Cardinal Gibbons, in his address at the golden jubilee of the Paulist Fa-thers in New York, eulogized Father Kecker, who led Cardinal Gibbons in-ton the priesthood.

Germany and Prussia Ask for a joint loan of \$120,000,000 on 4 per cent, government bonds. The empire's share will be \$85,000,000. Subscriptions will be opened on February 5at 102,

At the First Meeting of the new Imperial legislative council of India, at Calcutta, the viceroy declared emphat-ically that representative government, in the eastern sense, was totally im-possible i nthe Indian Empire.

Judges Lanning and Cross, in the United States court at Trenton, N. J., dissolved the preliminary injunction that had previously granted by Judge Cross restraining the stockholders of the Utah Copper company from holding a meeting to pass on the prepositing a ing a meeting to pass on the proposi-tion of merging with the Boston Con-solidated Copper company.

MISS SOPHIA KRITCHMAN SAW THE JURY SWORN IN Naugatuck Girl Charged with Killing

a Saloonkeeper-Prisoner Calm.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 25.—Accused of killing a man of whose affections she had tired, Sophie Kritchman, petite in figure, comely in features and scarcely grown to womanhood, saw twelve men sworn in as a jury this afternoon, to try her for the crime of murder in the first degree. At the yery outset, lawyers whose experience very outset, lawyers whose experience has been seasoned with the sternness of trials where a life was at stake, gave expression to their belief that this case will prove to be the most remarkable in the history of criminal law in Connecticut. Here was a girl, the daughter of industrious parents who kept a bearding house in the neighboring town of Naugatuck, charged with killing by use of hoth pistol and knife, a saloonkeeper, tronislow Kulvinskas, in a most diabedical way. The man weighed 206 pounds, while the girl was scarcely half his weight.

her tried alone and the trend of the aftack upon the state's testimony is to show that a person other than a mere girl must have accomplished the

After the jury box had been filled the state put on its direct evidence, proving the killing of Kulvinskas, and showing by the autopsy findings that whoever did the killing put six or eight whoever did the killing put six or eight bullets into the man and cut his throat frightfully. Not in evidence, but shown to witnesses as a reason for a certain and vital line of questioning, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Kellogg held out several times a dirty, blood-smeared sheet of paper, printed on one side and scrawled over on the other. The state will claim that Kulvinskas, with lifeblood obbing away wrote with the paper on the that Kulvinskas, with lifeblood obbing away, wrote, with the paper on the rough ground, in letters of his maternal tongue, words which, broadly interpreted, would mean that Sophie shot him. The state's case outlined is that Sophie, walking with Kulvinskas in the woods, shot him again and again, went back at night to finish the deed, and the next day finding the man still alive, slashed his throat with

All day Sophie Kritchman sat calmly in the courtroom, smiling now and then and often talking animatedly with her counsel. In the late after-noon she wearied and when the dozen or more wounds of her former lover were being described she looked anx-jously at the contending lawyers, the witness and the jurors.

The courtroom was crowded and on the street outside gathered the curious people to see the girl whose life is in

SHOT FROM CANADIAN SHORE KILLING A BUFFALO MAN Who Was Fishing in the Niagara

River. Ruffalo, N. Y., Jan. 26 .- John Wey-

NEWSPAPER BURNED OUT. Loss of \$100,000.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 26.—Fire early today burned out the building of the Evansville Journal-News company. Presse and all machinery in the news-Cincinnati, Jan. 26.—Toppled over by a 45-mile wind, the walls of a recently burned five story brick building fell on and almost baried an adjoining 100,000. Other losses are about \$25,-000.

> Venice Not Swept by Tidal Wave. Venice, Jan. 26.—The report that Venice had been swept by a tick! wave is entirely without foundation. There has been no floods here and no damage to buildings or accidents of

## BALLINGER-PINCHOT

Congressional Committee Yesterday Began Its Daily Sessions

CHIEF ACCUSER GLAVIS FIRST WITNESS

Seven Italian Smugglers were over-whelmed by an avalanche in an Alpine pass, above Chiavenna, Italy, and all but one killed.

Special Counsel for Glavis Sums Up the Case for the Prosecution-Democratic Members of Inquiry Committee Not Very Active, Asking Only a Question or Two-Many Interruptions in Proceedings.

> Washington, Jan. 26—The Ballinger-Pinchot congressional committee inquiry began its public sessions today with Louis R. Glavis, the chief accuser of Secretary Ballinger, on the witness stand. Owing to many interruptions, and the decision of the committee to insist that Glavis counsel make an opening statement of not intervened. mittee to insist that Glavis' counsel must make an opening statement of the specific charges against Mr. Bailinger, the witness did not get very far in his narrative. There was opportunity, however, to draw some preliminary conclusions as to the division of the committee,

Case Summed Up for the Prosecution. His enthusiasm over the actual beginning of the inquiry and his ten-dency to argue his view of the testi-mony to be adduced, gave the special counsel for Glavis, Louis D. Bran-dels, of Boston, some difficulty in reducing his statement to a brief recital of the charges but finite he summed up the 'case for the prosecution' in this way:

"That prior to entering the govern-"That prior to entering the government service in any capacity, R. A. Ballinger acted as attorney in drawing up an agreement in escrow and deeds in the Wilson Coal company cases in Lewis county. Wash, these cases being an alleged fraud upon the land laws. Mr. Ballinger's name did not appear in the court records of the case.

GOVERNMENT\_INQUIRY INTO BEEF TRUST AFFAIRS Subpoenas Issued for Employes and Officers of Packers,

Chicago, Jan. 26 .- That the Chicago, Jan. 26.—That the gov-ernment's investigation into the affairs of the so-called Beef trust is to be national, was shown today after the questioning before the federal grand jury of Charles C. Snow, secretary and treasurer of the National Packing

District Attorney Sims declined to comment on the situation. It was searned he has arranged to carry on

BRITISH ELECTIONS. A Unionist Government Is Out of the

Question. London, Jan. 26.—The combined strength of the liberal, labor and nationalist coalition has reached 345 totionalist coalition has reached 345 tonight, or more than half the number
of members of the house of commons.
A unionist government, therefore, is
out of the question, and the only point
still undecided is the exact strength
of the coalition majority. But as an
independent liberal unionity is equally
out of the question, only a short life
can be predicted for the incoming
government, and, as a matter of fact,
both the liberal and unionist parties
are looking away from the present
struggle into the not distant future
when the conflict at the polling booths
will be renewed.

New England Arbitration and Peace

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Hartford, Conn., Jan. 25,-It was announced here tonight that an arbitra-tion and peace conference of the six New England states would be held What the Bill Imposss.

tration. Special attention will be paid to the educational and economic aspects of the subject.

Prospective Strike of Soft-Coal Miners Indianapolis. Ind., Jan. 25.—"Stand together or fall together," was the sentiment of the convention of the sentiment of the transportation of any person by the purchase of a ticket to be used in going to any place for the purpose of prostitution. Other provisions of the measure are along at preventing traffic in the transportation of any person by the purchase of a ticket to be used in going to any place for the purpose of prostitution. Other provisions of the measure are along at preventing traffic in the transportation of any person by the purchase of a ticket to be used in going to any place for the purpose of prostitution. Other provisions of the measure are along at preventing traffic in along the sentiment of the convention of the purpose. Affairs of the Bay State Gas Company of Delaware.

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Came Inspector Thomas Briggs of the Ontario fish and game protective department admits that he fired at a leanned to subject will not be formulated delaware. Today Charles K. Darling, clerk of the United States circuit court, petitioned Judge Putnam for one per cent. of the funds of the company deposited in a local bank by George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, re—Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, re—Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, re—the first of the launch with the intendence of the purpose and action.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 26.—John Wey and of this city was shot to death in Niagara River today by a man who and the subject will not be close of a discussion of the Ontario fish and game protective of the prospective strike of Soft-Coal Miners Indianapolis. Ind. Jan. 25.—"Stand drove away in a carriage. Weyand was in a fishing boat with another man, who notified the police.

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bullets after the launch with the inten-tion of sinking it. He has reported to the department at Toronto, and Cap-tain Hunter has been sent to Fart Erle to investigate.

other leaners argue the sent to fart Erle striking iron, steel and tin workers, and \$1.000 to the switchmen's union.

Kernochan-Howland Marriage

New York, Jan. 26. Frederick Ker-noclain and Miss Elsie Lawrence Howland, a niece of Mrs. Foxball Keene were married this afternoon at the Little Church Around the Cor-ner, by Bishop McVicar of Rhode Is-land. Mr. Kernochan is a graduate of Yale, '98, having served in the Spanish war and has been a city magistrate two years.

Midwinter Thunderstorm, Wheeling, W. V., Jan. 26 .- A mld winter thunderstorm occurred in this vicinity tonight and continued with unusually sharp and brilliant lightning that some hope is still entertained that an agreement can be reached, for half an hoor. Eain accompanied and followed the thunderstorm and the temperature fell suddenly many defended.

For an Additional Chair in Yala's Engretty School. No damage has been reported.

Middletown Boy Drowned. Middletown, Conn., Jan. 25.—John Czarnicki, Jr., 7 years old, was drowned in Curran's pond late today, when the kee on which he was playing broke. The body was recovered.

not intervened "It is not any one act, but a series of acts and circumstances," declared Mr. Brandels, adding that it was for the compiltee to determine whether or not the lands held for the benefit of the people and of posterity are in safe hands.

Many Questions Asked. Senators Nelson, Root and Butherland and Representatives Climated and Madison were the more active of tha committeemen in plying the witness and his attorney with questions, and many times they referred to Secretary Ballinger's denials and sought explana-

tion of what they considered discrep-ancies in statements. Inquiry Resumed Friday. The democratic members of the committee were not very active too day. Representative James asked only

during the final minutes of the hear-ing and declared that in a certain instance the burden of proof was upon "That Mr. Ballinger, as commissioner of the land office in 1907, did not show due diligence in investigating the alleged frauds connected with the Cunningham coal land claims in Alaska; that he had knowledge of all the these ery Friday and Saturday

> H. J. DENNISON ARRAIGNED, HEARING POSTPONED. Tattooed Magician Tells Why He Shaved Off His Beard.

New York, Jan. 26 .- Herbert Jerome New York, Jan. 26.—Herbert Jerome Dennison, the tattooed magician, who is accused of murdering little Robert Lomas and Arthur Shibley, has a ma-niscal batred of all children, according to a statement given out tonight by the police. Dennison was arraigned in court today and his prelim! other documents of fifteen of the concerns have been laid before the Captain Price of the detective bu

Captain Price of the detective bulit was also learned that subpoensa
were issued for employes and officers
of Armour & Co., Swift & Co., and
Morris & Co.

Besides Mr. Snow, those examined
today were Henry F. Mover, department manager for Armour & Co., and
Everett Wilson, superintendent of
branch houses of Armour & Co.

No information as to the line of inquiry into the alleged price fixing
methods was made public.

District Attorney Sims declined to "'Are you insane?' I asked, and he answered 'Yes, I'm insane.' When I asked him outright if he didn't recall shooting the two boys he would drop his eyes and reply 'I don't remember.'

comment on the situation. It was learned he has arranged to carry on the investigation for at least six weeks.

Several times when I tried to arouse him by mentioning the punishment for murder, he said: They can't do anything to me; I am insane." \$1,185,000 FORGERIES

IN FRAMINGHAM. Stupendous Irregularities in Town Ascounts Brought Out.

Fromingham, Mass., Jan. 26, For-geries of notes of the town of Fram-

MANN WHITE SLAVE BILL PASSED

New England states would be held here and in New Britain on May 8, 9 and 10, under the auspices of the American Peace society and the Connecticut State Peace society. The object of the conference will be to further develop and concentrate public sentiment toward national peace and arbitration. Special attention will be paid to the educational and economic aspects of the subject.

Washington, Jan. 26—The Mann white slave bill was passed by the house today by a viva voor vote. The bill imposes a fine of not more than five years upon any person who knowingly adds in the trainsportation of any person by the purchase of a ticket to be used in going to any place for the purpose of prostitution.

Two Years' Extension of Service. Washington, Jan. 28. - Reports which reached here tonight from foreign sources declared that Whitslaw Reid, ambassader to Great Britain, had been offered and had accepted an extension of two years of service as the representative of the United States at the court of St. James, Efforts were made to verify the rumor, but the state department was slient on the subject. Ambusuador Reid may the president only a few days ago and the two had a lengthy conference. He slev-called at the state department and conferred with Secretary Knox.

Efforts to Avert a Tariff War with Germany.

washington. Jan. 26.—With only 13 days remaining before the German conventional tariff rates apply to the enormous American trade with that country, the officials who are endeavoring to avert a tariff war are renewing their activities and today the board of tariff experia was in confarence for an hour with President Tart, presumably in regard to that snatter. All that can be gleaned at present is with that some hope is still entertained that an agreement can be reached.

New Orleans, La. Jan 26, Members of the Yellow Pine Manusacturers' association subscribed \$5,500 today towards the establishment of an seditional chair in the school of Socustry at Yale university. More than \$20,000 bas been previously contributed by the association for this purpose.